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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's

HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook,

PARIS AND EUROPE: -- AMEDEI PRINCE

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW

ZEALAND:-GOBDON & GOTCH, Mel-

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

RESERVE FUND,......\$4,500,000

RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION 3 500,000

- COURT OF DIRECTORS.

O. D. BOTTOMLEY, H. Horpius, Esq.

Chairman-Hon. F. D. SASSOON.

Deputy Chairman-A. McIven, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong,.....THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

Shanghai,..... Ewen Cameron, Esq.

HONGKONG.

N Current Deposit Account at the rate

of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily

5 per cent: "

4 per cent. "

T. JACKSON,

Chief Munager.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

and every description of Banking and

Oredits granted on approved Securities,

Drafts granted on London, and the

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK

CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL .....£2,000,000

REGISTERED OFFICE.

BRANCHES:

In India, China, Japan and the Colonies.

THE Bank RECEIVES Money on Deposit,

issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for

Collection, and transacts Banking and

Agency Business generally on terms to be

CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK

CORPORATION PURCHASED ON

ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS.

NOTICE.

DULES OF THE HONGKONG

SAVINGS' BANK.

1.-The business of the above Bank will

be conducted by the Hongkong and

Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their

premises in Hongkong. Business hours

on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10

at one time will not be received. No

depositor may deposit more than \$2,500

\$100 or more at their credit may at

their option transfer the same to the

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor-

poration on fixed deposit for 12 months

annum will be allowed to depositors on

with a Pass-Book which must be pre-

sented with each payment or with

drawal. Depositors must not make

any entries themselves in their Pass-

Books but should send them to be

6.—Correspondence as to the business of

.-Withdrawals may be made on demand

Hongkong and China.

Hongkong, May 7, 1885.

written up at least twice a year, about

the Bank if marked On Hongkong

Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free

by the various British Post Offices in

but the personal attendance of the

depositor or his duly appointed agent,

and the production of his Pass Book

HORGEONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager.

CORPORATION,

at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

4. -Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per

5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis

their daily balances.

ning of July.

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250

3. -Depositors in the Savings' Bank having

Hongkong, July 4, 1885.

H. A. HERBERT,

Hongkong Branch.

Manager.

had on application.

buys and sells Bills of Exchange,

40, THREADNEEDLE STREET, LONDON.

chief Commercial places in Europe, India,

Australia, America, China and Japan.

Hongkong, December 31, 1885.

E. H. M. HUNTING-

OF DIVIDENDS,.....

PRIETORS,.....

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO-

DALRYMPLE,

For Fixed Deposits:-

Exchange business transacted.

M. GROTE, Esq.

& Co. 36, Rue Lafayette, Paris.

Leadenhall Street.

bourne and Hydney.

& Co. Manila.

Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE

STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON

& Goton, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES

SAMUEL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154,

號九月正年六十八百八千一英

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JANUARY 9, 1886.

Intimations.

THE

HONGKONG AND SHANGHA

BANKING CORPORATION

Is authorised by the

NAVIGATION COMPANY,

ACTING UNDER AUTHORITY

EXCELLENCY LI HUNG CHANG

VICEROY OF CHIHLI AND SUPERINTEND-

ENT OF THADE FOR THE NORTHERN

To Issue

Debentures for £300,000.

BEARING INTEREST AT 7 PEB CENT ..

234,000... @ 4/6=£ 52,650

PORTS OF CHINA,

L — Free holdand Lease-

hold Property at the Ports of Hongkong, Macao, Kiu-

kiang, Wuhu, Chinkiang,

Hankow, Ichang, Ningpo

Estimated Value, Tla.

II. Freehold and

Estimated Value.....

Less 1st Mortgage .....

III.—Twenty-two (22)

and valued in August,\_\_\_

Steamers, aggregating

35,237 tons measurement,

1885, by C. G. WARBURG,

Esq., Lloyds' Surveyor.

and Captain Z. BARTON.

Surveyor to H.B.M.'s

Registry Office of Ship-

Corporation.

Tls. 1,146,000.

Tls. 300,000

ping, at Tls. 2,179,846.... @ 4/6=£490,468

ager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank.

ing Corporation at Shanghai, and the Title

Deeds and Documents are held in trust

for the Debenture holders by the said

THE STEAMERS, which are under the Chi

nese Flag, are hypothecated to the Hong-kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation

in trust, and Bills of Sale are deposited with the Bank for account of the Debenture-

THE CHINA MEBCHANTS STEAM NAVIGA-

TION Co. are under obligation to keep up

an Insurance Account, under which their

Fleet is covered against loss. The funds

of the Insurance Account are kept with the

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corpora-

tion, and the Company guarantee that the

amount will at no time be less than Tls.

DEBENTURES will be for the sum of £100

each, and payable to bearer, and will be

under the seal of the China Merchants

INTEREST will be at the rate of 7 per

cent, per annum, commencing from the

15th January 1886. The first payment of

Interest will be on the 1st day of March

1886, and thereafter quarterly as per

DRAWINGS will take place in January

Tonders will be received for the De-

and Shanghai Banking Corporation, at

p.m. on Tuesday, 12th January 1886,

when the Tenders will be onened. Pay-

received in Shanghai Sycee at the rate of

valent of same in Hongkong at exchange

No Tenders will be entertained under

amount tendered must, accompany each

be paid on or before the 20th January

Corporation, Hongkong and Shanghai.

1886, when Debentures will be exchanged

Forms of Application can be obtained of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking

Schedule of Instalments and Payments of

Interest.

`\_Instal-

ments.

Interest at

5,293 2 10

5.235 12

5,293

The balance of the amount allotted must

ments for any Debentures allotted will be

exchange of 4/8 per Tael. And the equi-

and July in each year in the presence of

With reference to the foregoing-

of bentures at the offices of the Hongkong

Steam Navigation Co.

schedule annexed.

an Officer of the Bank.

England Super- Hongkong and Shanghai until 4 o'clock

£105 for each Debenture.

for Allotment Letters.

on London.

color and of 722 tacks per 100 Dollars.

March

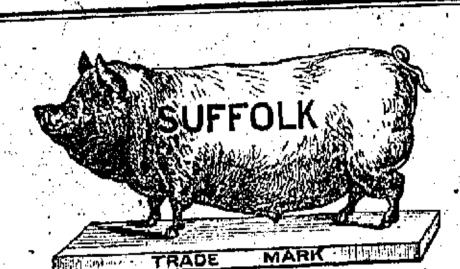
September 1, ,,

Leasehold Property at

and Tientsin:

Shanghai:

Business Notices. LANDED, A FRESH SUPPLY OF



BACON, &c.

POTTED BEEF AND HAM.

JUS

PIGS FEET AND TONGUES. SALTED FOREHANDS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, December 30, 1885.

Victoria Hotel. Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horers in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most

comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service.

Continental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE. Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

RECEIVED JUST

CATALOGUES ON APPLICATION.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, January 4, 1886.

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL). Scotch Tweed

While advertising our 'Specialties' we also wish to draw the Suit, \$15,00.

Over 100 patterns of Stylish Tweeds of Exceptionally Good value to select from.

attention of our Customers to our, now, complete Stock of TWEED SUITINGS, COAT-INGS, TROUSERINGS, SER-GES, FLANNELS, &c. A large and choice selection of the newest FABRICS of English, Scotch and Continental Manufacture, from medium to the very finest qualities.

climate.

Dress Suit.

\$30.00.

Of West

to our special

suitable to the

Hongkong, October 1, 1885. JUST RECEIVED

DOWCLIFFES SANITARY WOVEN WIRE MATTRESSES, all sizes. IRON BEDSTEADS and Infants' COTS. New Patterns in Tapestries & Cretonnes. Coloured TABLE CLOTHS and FRINGES. GIFSY TABLES and WHATNOTS. FENDERS, FIRE IRONS and COAL BOXES.

A good assortment of Juos and FANCY

GLASS WARE.

ready for use. Towers and BATH BLANKETS. DUSTER and KITCHEN CLOTHS." FLOOR OIL CLOTES and MATTINOS. HEARTH RUGS in various sizes. TRAVELLING TRUNKS and BOXES. New Patterns in BEDROOM WARE.

SOLE AGENTS IN HONGKONG FOR ROSENKRANZ'S CELEBRATED PLANOS

VICTORIA ELCHANCE, January 8, 1886 .-

Intimations.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

COUPONS for INTEREST falling due on 31st December, 1885, will be Paid on presentation at the Office of the Hong-KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPOBATION,

vices to attend at his Office before that date.

(NEXT DOOR TO OBLENTAL BANK).

immediate attention on his return.

2. Duddell Street,

Hongkong, January 6, 1886.

Letters addressed to No. 2, Dundell

Hongkong, on and after that date. \* con [N]) with JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., DIAMOND JEWELLERY, General Agents. A Splendid Collection of the Latest London Hongkong, December 31, 1885. NOTICE.

PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 742

REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED, can hence at Swatow, to make a professional visit, forward be obtained by Rerait, FOR intends being Absent from the 6th to 18th CASH, at No. 3, PEEL STREET, at the same January. He respectfully requests his prices as at the REFINERY; or Retail Friends who may urgently require his Ser-Orders will be delivered at addresses in town on applicants forwarding their Monthly Requirements in writing direct to the STREET, during his Absence, will receive THE Undersigned, Agents of the above

REFINERY at East Point. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co... General Agenta

W. POWELL & Co.

WANTED Situation as SHIPPING CLERK September 1. A by a Portuguese, who has been December 1, lately in CHARGE of a large SHIPPING DE- March 1, 1890, 17,000 PARTMENT in a Mercantile House.

BATAVIA. c/o. Poste Restante, 30th December, 1885.

LIAS always on Hand STEAM LAUNCHES FOR HIRE. Charges March 1, 1893, 17,000 Wing-Shing, Wing-Choong, and Wing-Tye. For first hour, - - 63.

n second n overy subsequent hour, - ... \$1. Wing-Fuk, Wing-Loy, and Wing-Lee. For first hour. eccond or subsequent hour, - 82. Match 1, 1805, 17,000 Rates for towing Vessels and Cargo-boats, September 1, ,, 17,000

or use of LAUNCHES for Exempions to Macao, Canton, or other places may be arranged at No. 29, Wing Wo STREET.

日五初月二十年酉乙 Intimations.

HONGKONG, RACES, 1886. WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY,

24th, 25th, and 26th February, 1886. CHINA MERCHANTS STEAM THE HONGKONG DERBY.

> THE HONGKONG DERBY, OR SWEEP STAKES of \$20 each, half forfeit if declared on or before the date of Closing Entries, with \$100 added for 1st Pony and 850 for 2nd. For all China Ponies bond fide Griffins at date of Entry (SATURDAY, 23rd January, 1886). First Pony, 70 per cent.; Second Pony, 20 per cent.; Third Pony, 10 per cent. Weight 10st. 10ths. One-mile-and-a-half. Nominations close on SATURDAY, 19th December, 1885, addressed to the CLERK of the Counse, at the Hongkong Club.

H. J. H. TRIPP, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, November 13, 1885. 1976

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s PIERS AND GODOWNS, WEST POINT.

THESE are now in Working Order,-A STRAMERS are BERTHED at the Wharf. and Cargo RECEIVED and STORED at Cheap Ths. 846,000 @ 4/6 = £190,350

The GODOWNS are two storied, dry, airy, and well suited for the STORAGE of SILK, COTTON and WOOLLEN PIECE GOODS, as well as GENERAL MEECHANDISE. Advances made on Cargo stored.

For Rates and further Particulars, apply at 5 p.m. to the MANAGER, or to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, December 2, 1885. JAPAN!! JAPAN!!

£733,465 JAPAN! THE LANDED PROPERTY is Mortgaged to Ewen Cameron Esq., Mun-

NOTICE. KUHN & Co.'s

28 15 DAYS' CLEARANCE SALE, WILL COMMENCE ON THE 5TH INST.

THE Entire STOCK of their Magnificent and Rare Collection of ANCIENT and MODERN JAPANESE FINE CURIOS and Works of the Highest Art. To be Sold at Cost in Japan. (BOTH STORES AT THE HONGKONG HOTEL.)

Hongkong, January 2, 1886. Shipping.

Steamers. FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG.

The Steamship W. Cass Smith, Com-mander, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY

the 10th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, January 7, 1886.

INTEREST AND DEAWN DEBENTURES WILL be payable at any of the offices of the 26 Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corpora-DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, tion at the rate current for demand Bills LIMITED. THE DESENTURES will be redeemed at par by instalments, as per schedule an-

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO. The Co,'s Steamship

Captain Pocock, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 10th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, January 7, 1886.

FOR BANGKOK (DIRECT.)

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. A Deposit of 10 per cent upon the

The Company's Steamer

Kono Beng, Capt. R. Jones, will be despatched for the above Port on SUNDAY, the 10th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

YUEN FAT HONG.

Hongkong, January 8, 1886.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP

COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

The Departure of the Co.'s Steamship

Capt. McCasun, for the above Ports, is POSTPONED to MON-DAY, the 11th Instant, at 5 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., • General Managers.

Hongkong, January 8, 1886. FOR MANILA.

3.560 4 4 (Taking Caryo and Possengers at through rates for ILOILO.) The Spanish Steamer Mindanao.

Captain TREMOYA, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY NEXT, the lith Inst., at 5 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, January 7, 1886,...

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. The Co. s Steamship Palamed. Capt Jackson, will be despatched as above on

SATORDAY, the 16th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, January 7, 1886.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Shipping.

Steamers.

INDO-OHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Davies, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 12th Instant, at

This Steamer has superior First-class Accommodation, specially constructed to meet the requirements of tropical climates. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, January 4, 1886. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE, VIA SINGAPORE

AND JAVA. (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TAS-

MANIA, &c.) The Steamship Captain Ellis, will be

Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 13th Instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, January 4, 1886. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA. The Steamship Arratoon Apcar, Capt. A. B. MacTavish, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 16th

Instant, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, January 6, 1886. NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship Command't DELACROIX, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, January 6, 1886.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTIOE.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship

Commandant DU TEMPLE will be despatched for KOBE and YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the Mail Steamer from Europe. G. DB CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, January 6, 1886.

Sailing Vessels. FOR VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA?

The 3/3 L.1.1. British Barque WM. GRANT, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to Hongkong, January 6, 1866.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The 3/3 L.1.1. British Barque Arnauda,

GREEN, Master, will lond here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSEIL & Co.

Hongkong, December 31, 1885.

Notices to Consignees. FROM PENANG, SINGAPORE AND

MANILA. THE S.S. Tantallon, Capt. PARTEIDGE, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the

immediate delivery of their Goods from Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense.

Undersigned for countersignature, and take

SIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong, January 4, 1886. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGEILLES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Ex Iraniaday 511 (in paral.), 1/20=20 cases Vermonth. Order, two Margoilles. G, DE CHAMPRAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY.

Company, are authorized to Insure

sominst FIRE at Current Rates. GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, July 27, 1885.

the beginning of January and begin- RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILTY Mr. FRANCISCO MAMEDE GON SALVES in the Firm of Messrs. ROZARIO & Co., CRASED on the 31st December last, The BUSINESS will in future be CARRIED on by the Undersigned alone, under the

NEW YORK :- ANDREW WIND, 21, Park | SAME Style as heretofore. AUGUSTO JOSE DO ROZARIO. Hongkong, January 1, 1886.

NOTICE.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally :- BEAN & BLACK, San Fran-NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing be-SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.:—SAYLE & tween Mr. Francisco Mamede Gonsalves Co., Square, Singapore. C. Heinszen and Mr. Augusto José do Rozanio, as ROZARIO & Co., MERCHANTS, of Hong. CHINA: -- Macao, F. A. DE CRUZ. Swakong, has This Day been DISSOLVED by tow, QUELOH & Co. Amoy, WILSON, Mutual Consent. NICHOLLS & Co. Foochow, HEDGE &

Hongkong, December 31, 1885. Shanghai, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH. Yokohama, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY TIJITH Reference to the above, I have This Day ESTABLISHED myself at, this place, as MERCHANT, SHIPPING and

COMMISSION AGENT, under the Style or Firm of GONSALVES & Co. F. M. GONSALVES. 14, Aberdeen Street, Hongkong, January 1, 1886.

NOTICE TR. L. JUEDELL has been Admitted IVI a PARTNER in our Firm in Hotnow and Pakhoi from this date. A. SCHOMBURG & Co. Hoihow 1st January, 1886.

NOTICE. WE Have authorised Mr. FRANK ERNEST NICHOL to Sign our A. P.-McEWEN, Esq. | Firm per Procuration.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, January 4, 1886. NOTICE. LONDON BANKERS. - London and County MAR. CECIL WILLIAM HOLLIDAY IVI is Admitted a PARTNER in our

Firm from this date.

and CHINA.

Hougkong, January 1, 1886. NOTIOE. WE Have This Day Admitted Mr. SHELLIM EZEKIEL SHELLIM a PARTNER in our Firm in HONGKONG

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1886. NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERSHIP created by Deed, dated the 7th February, 1879, and made between me, the Undersigned, WILLIAM STAN-

2120 LEY ADAMS and JAMES STOCKWELL

TERMINATED on the 31st December, 1883. Dated the 7th January, 1886. W. S. ADAMS.

Intimations. HONGKONG PUBLIC SCHOOL. THE above SCHOOL will RE-OPEN at ST. PATE'S COLLEGE for the Easter term on MONDAY NEXT, the 11th Inst.

The HEAD-MASTER, Mr.O. J. BATEMAN attends at the School EVERY SATURDAY, from 12 to 1 to receive Applications for Hongkong, January 6, 1886.

Hours :-- Morning ...... 9 to 12.

Afternoon ...... 2 to 4.30.

HONGKONG. Estate of WILLIAM NICHOLAS DEVILLE, late Captain of S.S. 'Hankow.' Deceased.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

THE OFFICIAL ADMINISTRATOR requests that all CLAIMS against the above Estate be sont in without delay. Dated this 6th day of January, 1888. 30

THE SAN FRANCISCO CORDAGE

COMPANY.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., FOR SALE. PURE MANILA AND SISAL ROPES Coils, from 6 Thread to 8 inches.

6 to 12 Thread MANILA, 12 Cents per lb. 11 inch to 8 inches n 11 n Apply at the GODOWNS. No. 13, Praya Central. Hongkong, December 31, 1885.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Chromometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silveremithe. LAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS. VOICTLANDER'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES.

NAUTICAL BOOKS. English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE Christofle & Co.'s ELECTEO-PLATED WARE, GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY, in great variety. -D'I A M O N D S

ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS,

Productions of the China Sugar MR. WONG TALFONG, DENTIST,

TABLE LINEN in every width. DINNER NAPKINS washed and hemmed

Intimations.

Good Reference and Testimonials.

CHEE WO LING KEE

Hongkong, June 19, 1885.

4.746 19 4.499 3 17,000 4,499 3 September 1 4,153 11 10 December . 4,1 7 18 3.890 **5** 11 . 3,890 . 5 11 3.299 7 10 17,000 3,299 7 10 September 1, , 2.966 17 O 2,934 2,373 9 December 1. 2,099 12 2.099 12

1,760 11 1,499 14 September 1, 1,186 14 1 1,173 13 11 899 16

£300,000 £114,746 4 9 Shanghai, 7th January, 1886.

50 . Hongkong, January 7, 1886.

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# Macewen, frickel & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

TTAVE JUST LANDED.

# STORES.

THE FOLLOWING

York HAMS. Stilton CHEESE. Pudding RAISINS (Valencing).

CURRANTS (Patras).

MINCEMEAT. CHRISTMAS CAKES. FIGS.

ALMONDS and RAISINS.

Brizil NUTS. Soft-Shell ALMONDS. Metz FRUITS.

Crystallized FRUITS.

FRUITS in Syrups Imperial PLUMS. Plum PUDDINGS. COSAQUES.

CALIFORNIA PRODUCTS CONDENSED MILK.

KEROSINE LAMPS. FAIRBANK'S\_SCALES.\_

COOKING STOVES.

STOVES.

THE USUAL ASSORTMENT

# OILMAN'S STORES

# WINES.

Lowest Possible Prices FOR CASH.

Macewen, frickel & co.

# Notices to Consignees.

Hongkong, December 1, 1885,

HIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. CARDIGANSHIRE, FROM HAM:

BURG, ANTWERP, LONDON\_AND SINGAPORE.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned at Wanchai, behind the premises known as No. 3, 'Blue Buildings,' whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. This Steamer has brought on Cargo ex Breconshire, str., from New York.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods

remaining after the 3rd Proximo, will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 12th January, 1886, or they will not be

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, January 5, 1886.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

THE S.S. Arratoon Apour having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected.

Consignees are hereby informed that all Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 13th Instant.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co

Hongkong, January 4, 1886.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Taisang, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into JARDINE, MATURSON & Co. a West Point Godowns, whence delivery may be Cargo remaining undelivered after the

11th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, January 1, 1886.

### Notices to Consignees.

FROM LONDON, HAMBURG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Ascalon, Captain MARRIS. having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whonce and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, the 8th Instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 14th Instant will be subject to rent. No Chaims will be admitted after the Goods have left our Godowns.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SIEMSSEN & Co., Anents.

Hougkong, January 8, 1886

#### Entertainment.

CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

THE OPENING NIGHT OF THE ZARZUELA SPANISH OPERA COMPANY

EVENING THIS the 9th January, 1886.

Seats can be booked at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED." PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Dress Circle, - - - - \$2.00. Stalls, Front Seats. - - -Stalls, Back Scats, -For further Particulars see Programme. Hongkong, January 9, 1886.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR HOLHOW AND PAKHOL The Steamship

Capt. H. Monck, will be desputched as above TO-MORROW, the 10th Instant, at 5 p.m., instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to

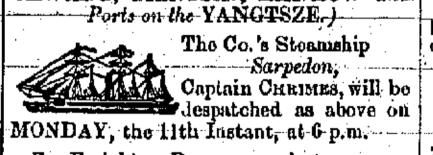
AR YON & Co. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, January 9, 1886.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship Capt. Herworth, will be despatched for the above

p.m., instead of as previously notified. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, January 9, 1886

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO. CHEFOO. NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW an



MONDAY, the 11th Instant, at 6 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swike, Agents

Hongkong, January 9, 1886. -DOUGLAS-STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW. The Co.'s Steamship Hailoong,

Captain WYLLIE, will be despatched for the above Port on TUESDAY, the 12th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, January 9, 1866. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship

Captain GUTHRIE, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 14th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, January 9, 1886.

To-day's Advertisements.

THEATRE ROYA

CITY HALL SATURDAY. 16th January, 1886.

SNOWDROPS beg to announce their THIRD GRAND ETHIOPIAN DRAW-ING-ROOM ENTERTAINMENT, COMMENCING AT 9 P.M.

Tickets may be obtained and Scats secured at Messrs. Kelly & Walsh's, on and after Wednesday, 13th Instant.

Prices of Admission: Dress Circle and Stalls, -Back Seats.

N.B.—The proceeds of this Entertainment will be devoted to Local Charity. Hongkong, January 9, 1886. AMENDED NOTICE.

FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO AND BOMBAY. The P. & O. S. N. Co. Steamship. will leave for the above

places on WEDNESDAY, 13th Instant, at A. MoIVER, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, January 9, 1886. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

"The Co.'s Steamship Capt. JACKSON, will be despatched as above or MONDAY, the 18th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, January 9, 1886.

TO LET. CHOPS, Nos. 7 and 9, 'BRACONSFIELD

ARCADE. Apply to BELILIOS & Co.

Hongkong, January 9, 1886. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. Port on MONDAY, the 11th Instant, at 2 | S.S. PRINZ GEORG, FROM YOKO-

HAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersigna-

ture, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. All Claims against the Steamer must presented to the Undersigned immediately,

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, January 9, 1886.

or they will not be recognised.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Aleither the Captuin, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:-

CHYLON, American barque, Captain R. Calhoun.-Wing Chong Kit. DARTMOUTH, British barque, Capt. Benj. Flinton.-Melchers & Co. HARMONIA, German ship, Captain Kassebohm.—Melchers & Co. George, British barque, Capt. William Grant.—Captain.

## SHIPPING

ARRIVALS.

January 8, 1816 :--Prinz Georg, German steamer, 2,392, H

B. Blethen.—Order.—

Plett, Nagasaki January 4, General.-Adamson, Bell & Co. January 9:-Khiva, British steamer, 1,419, W. E. L. Clament, Bombay December 19, and Singa-

pore, General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. Yungching, Chineso steamer, from Wham-

Melita, German steamer, 339, Mörck, Hollow January 7, General. WIELER &

Volga, French steamer, 1,005, du Temple Yokohama January 2, and Kobo 3, Mails & General.—Messaceries Maritimes. Natal, French steamer, 2,415, Such, Shanghai January 7, Mails and General. -

Turrenne, French ironclad frigate, from Yangtsze, British steamer, 814, F. Schultz,

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

Chinking January 3, Rice.—Strassen & Surpelon, British ateamer, 1,592, H

Chrimes, London and Singapore December 31, General.—BUTTERVIELD & SWIRE.

DEPARTURES. January 9 :---Agamemnon, for Singapore and London. Anna Sieben, for Chefoo. Gerda, for Amoy and Manila. Yehein, for Swatow and Shanghai. Eden, for Whampon. Fushun, for Whampon. Yangteze, for Whampon.

Helene, for Laruka, S. S. Islands. Kong Beng, for Bangkok. Annie, for Quinhon. Martha Davis, for Iloilo. Thales, for Swatow, Amoy and Taiwanfoo. Yung Ching, for Shanghai. Saltec, for Haiphong. Fero, for Saigon. Vorwaerts, for Touron. L'Avrenire, for Taiwanfoo.

Ashington, for Shanghai.

PASSENGERS. Per Prinz Georg, from Nagasaki, 1 Euro-

Per Khiva, from Singapore. &c., Lieut.-Col. W. Hughes, and 124 Chinese. Per Melita, from Hoihow, 20 Chinese. Per Volga, from Yokohama: for Hongkong, Mr Marshall; for Marseilles, Messra

John N. Kech, John Cleary and James Nasmyth. From Kobe: for Hongkong, Mr Kojiro, and Mrs Kubokane. Per Natal, from Shanghai: for Hongkong, Mr and Mrs Harves, Messrs Danenberg, Honey, Stevens, the Mascotte Opera Company, and 5 Chinese; for Saigon, Mr Lecuyer; for Marseilles, Messra Bailly, Chapman, Campbell and Rosenzaveig. Per Sarpedon, from London, &c., Mrs

McLear, Fred. Lewis, and 220 Chinese, from Singapore. DEPARTED. Per Ching Wo, for London, Mr Steven.

Per Zafiro, for Amoy and Manila, Mr and Mrs F. H. Sawyer, daughter and servant, and 14 Chinese on deck. Per Amatista, for Manila, Messrs J. B.

Truesdell, C. Truesdell, M. C. W. Williams, and 5 Chinese on deck. Per Agamemnon, for Singapore, 742 Chi-Per Yehsin, for Swatow, &c., 12 Chinese.

TO DEPART. Per Kong Beng, for Bangkok, 20 Chinese. Per Annie, for Quin-hon, 13 Chinese. Per Martha Davis, for Iloilo, 1 European. Per Thales, for Swatow, &c., 200 Chinese. Per Yung Ching, for Shanghai, 6 Chinese. Per Saltee, for Haiphong. 2 Europeans, nd 15 Chinese.

Per Fero, for Saigon, 200 Chinese. Per Vorwaerts, for Touron, 60 Chinese. Per L'Avvenire, for Taiwanfoo, 2 Chi-

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Yangiszs reports: Experienced light Southerly winds and fine weather throughout. The British steamer Sarpedon reports Had very strong monsoon and high sea throughout.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For HAIPHONG,— Per Saltee, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the For HOIHOW & PAKHOL ...

Per Melita, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 10th inst., instead of as previously For SHANGHAL \_\_ Por Yung Ching, at 9 a.m., on Sunday,

the 10th inst. For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS. Per Perim, at 11.30 a.m., on Monday,

JOHN CURRIER, American ship, Capt. J. For SINGAPORE AND NEW YORK. Per Claymore, at 1.30 p.m., on Monday. the 11th inst. For SHANGHAL.

Per Ashington, at 1.30 p.m., on Monday, the 11th inst, instead of as previously notified. For BANGKOK .\_\_

Per Cicero, at 4 p.m., on Monday, the 11th inst. For SAIGON .-Per Independent, at 4 p.m., on Monday,

the 11th inst. FOR AMOY AND MANILA. Per Diamante, at 4.30 p.m., on Monday, the 11th inst., instead of as previously notified.

A. G. STOKES, Store Broker,

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS. JANUARY 9, 1886. Nos. of Value Paid- Position PER LAST REPORT. Total Dividend Closing Ourtainers

4	Stocks:	Shares.	rame.	up.	Kesern	Balancec.f'ward	Last Dividend	Cash.
	BANKS. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. INSURANCES.	60,000	<b>3</b> 125	<b>8</b> 125	\$ 4,500,000 For equali sationofdiv \$ 500,000	\$ 50,779.22		174 % prem., buyers; seller 175 % prem. ca
	North-China Insurance Co., Ld Yangtsze Insurance Company, Ld Union Insurance Society Co., Ld		£ 25	£ 25	£ 50,000	Tls. 461,023.02		Tis. 300 per share Tis. 128
	China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld	24,000	8 83.33	\$ 25	\$ 600,000	8 200,735.71	18 % <b>P</b> annum	\$450 a ex div. selle \$64 a cash, ex div \$83 a buyers
	Chinese Insurance Co., Limited	1,500	8 1,000	\$ 200	\$ 28,711.50			\$160 n ex div., buye
	Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld China Fire Insurance Co., Ld	8,000 20,000	8, 250 8 100		(g	297,568.07		\$385 per share, buyers
	HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Ld.				\$ 206,236.55 deprec.' fund	4,093.98	o % half year	54 prem., cash
	Douglas Steamship Co., Limited Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited 60,000 shares issued	18, 387	£ 10	\$ 50 £ 10 £ 10	86,764.16	402.22	12 % year end- ing June30/84	Par, sellers 6 % discount, cash
•	China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld	· •						25 discount
•	H'kong & Whampon Dock Co., Ld. HK. and China Gas Co., Limited, )	5,000		T .	<b>\$</b> 18,000 £ 8,552.17.10			70 % prem., cash, buyers
	New Shares	1,900 2,000 1,000	\$ 100	100		<b>8</b> 2,236,76	Old, \$4	\$100 per share Old, \$155 per share ex div.
-	China Sugar Company, Limited Hongkong Ice Company, Limited Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld	9,000 1,250 600	810c 8 100	8-100 8-100	\$ 30,00	\$ 13,274.03 \$ 235.33	4 % \$10	New, \$ 77\ \$86 per share, cash \$163 per share, cash, sellers
	Luzon Sugar Company, Limited Perak Tin Mining & String Co Selengere Tin Mining Co. (Sheil)	7,000 5,000	\$ 100 \$ 50	3 100 all		\$ 829.09 First year	3 %	\$125 \$80 ii \$20 ii } nomira
	Punjoni & Sunghie Dua Samalan Mining Co.	40,000	<b>8</b> 10	8 5		do.	and the first first from the second of the second	85 n buyers from the 881 n cash
	H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. LOANS. Chinese Imperial 1881	3,000 8.565	Ti. 500	all	Rates of Int 8 2	First year Payable. June16&Dec. 10		863 ii caab
	1884 a	2790 2790 3189 600	8 500 8 500	All	8 7 8 7 8 2 8 2	March 15 June 30 Oot 15		Z prem. 5 Z n
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POST OFFICE NOTICES MAILS will close:-

For MANILA. -Per Mindanao, at 4.30 p.m., on Monday, the 11th inst.

For SWATOW -Per Hailoong, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the 11th inst For HAIPHONG .-

Per Nam-vian, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the 11th inst. For STRAITS AND CALCUTTA .-Per Taising, at 10.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 12th inst.

For SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, & BOM-BAY.--Per Venetia, at 2.30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 13th inst., instead of as pre-

viously notified. For SINGAPORE, JAVA, PORT DAR WIN. THURSDAY ISLAND, COOK TOWN, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamship Guthric SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, ADE. LAIDE, NEW ZEALAND, TAS. MANIA, &c., &c.—

Per Airlie, at 4.30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 13th inst. For SAIGON .--Per Protos, at 4.30 p.m., on Wednesday,

For STRAITS & CALCUTTA. Per Arratoon Apear, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 16th inst. For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. Per Thibet, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 21st inst.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET,-

the 13th inst.

The French Contract Packet Natal the 12th January, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India (vià Madras), the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape. Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing

the Maile. &c. MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping. Daylight .- Thales leaves for Swatow, &c. Daylight .- Kong Beng leaves for B'kok. Daylight .- Perim leaves for Straits. 5 p.m.-Melita leaves for Hoihow, &c.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Shipping,

2 p.m.—Ashington leaves for Shanghai. 5 p.m.—Diamante leaves for Manila, &c 5 p.m.-Mindanao leaves for Manila 6 p m. - Sarpedon leaves for S'hai, &c. Goods per Taisang undelivered after this date subject to rent.

Miscellaneous. Hongkong Public School will re-open for the Easter term.

Just Received YACINTH: BULBS of the BEST VARIETIES:

Blue,

White, Red,

Yellow. GRASS SEED

SWEET CORN. A.-S. WATSON &-Co., THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY

Hongkong, January 2, 1886. BIRTH. On the 23rd December, the Wife of the Rev. . HUR Bonsey, London Mission, Hankow, of a Son.

MARRIAGE. At the Cathedral, Shanghai, on the 1st Instant, by the Rev. F. R. Smith, George DAVIDSON, son of Wm. Davidson, of Wigton ahire, N.B., to JANE EGAN, third daughter the 11th inst., instead of as pre- of J. W. Ord, Dock Master, Shanghai., At H.B.M.'s Consulate-General, Shang

hai, on the 3rd January, Donothy I. R

At Hankow, on the 29th ult, the Wife of

PLAYFAIR, aged 13 months.

the Rev. GRIFFITH JOHN, of the London Missionary Society; aged 51. The publication of this issue commences

# at 7.40 p.m. The China Mail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JANUARY 9, 1886.

TELEGRAMS.

(Via Southern Line.) THE PRENCH MUNISTRY.

London, Jan. 8, 1886. A new Ministry has been formed under the presidency of M. Freycinet, who will act as Minister of Foreign Affairs. M. Boulanger has been appointed Minister of War, and M. Lockroy, Minister of Com-

The Queen's speech will be read on 21st January.

LOCAL AND GENERAL PASSED SURZ CANAL. Glenfinlas, Oopack, Marklane, Dec. 18

sina, Marie, Dec. 29; Canton, Jan. 1;

Glenearn, Telemachus, Jan. 5. HOMEWARD BOUND :- Nestor, Port Philip. THE Shanghai Courier learns from a reliable Dec. 15; Olympia, Dec. 22; Achilles, Gleneagles, Dec. 29.

Co.'s steamer Anadyr, left Saigon for five or ten years, their Central and Hongor about Monday, the 11th inst. here on or about Saturday, the 16th kew Wharves.

The Occidental and Oriental Co.'s steamer San Pablo, with the next American Tue Siemssen str. Ningpo, on her last voyon the 19th December.

London, left Singapore for this port on the 31st Dec., and may be expected here on or about the 8th inst. Union Line steamer Prinz Friedrich

Carl left Singapore for this port on the lat instant, and may be expected here on the 9th inst. The German steamer Falkenburg left Saigor

for this port on the 6th inst., and may be expected on the 9th inst. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Glaucus, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the morn ing of the 9th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 16th inst.

E. & A. Steamship Co.'s steamer Menmuir left Port Darwin for this port on the 4th inst, and may be expected here on or about the 13th inst. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Palamer left Singapore on the 7th inst., and will be due here on the 14th inst.

left Sydney for this port on the 3rd

inst., and is expected here on or about the 1st Feb. ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN ATHEORAL. - EPIPHANY SUNDAY. Matins :- Venite, Farrant; Psalms, Wickes Elvey & Monk; To Doum, Monk in

A : Jubilate, Garrett in F : Anthem, Arise, shine, for thy light is come (Elvey); Hymn, 76. ensong :- Pealms, Goss, Wickes Croft ; Cantate, Hopkins ; Deus Mise reatur, Hopkins; Anthem, 'Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem' (Clark); Hymns,

will be despatched on TUESDAY, THE fee leviable for armed entry of a dwelling house, and larceny, has now been reduced by Mr Mitchell-Innes to 810.

> THE P. & O. steamer Nepaul, with the next English Mail, left Singapore for Hongkong this morning (9th), at 5 o'clock.

> Messes Butterfield & Swire inform us that the O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Glaucus, from Liverpool, left Singapore this morning for

THE Directors of the Shanghai Gas Company have declared a dividend of six per 7 cent. for the half year ending 31st Decemper last.

usual to-morrow, Sunday. H. M. S. Swift arrived at Nagasaki from Port Hamilton on Sunday afternoon, the 27th ultimo, and was in the former harbour

on the 1st instant.

We remind our readers of the opening performance of the Zarzuela Spanish Opera Company in the City Hall to-night. rehearsal given by the Company last night was greatly admired by a number of friends who were present.

THE P. & O. Co.'s steamer Ganges, with th passengers ex Khedive on board, arrived here this evening. Among her passengers from Singapore is Captain Porter, of the camp to H. E. the Administrator.

for the half year ending 31st December last, which is payable on and after the 18th in THE Shooting Rifle Competition among the members of the Police Force, all ranks and day. Inspector Corcoran, 41, constable

THE Snowdrops will give their third proceeds of the performance are to be devoted to a charitable purpose. Tickets for the performance can be obtained at Messrs Kelly and Walsh's store on and after Wednesday next.

of the Force.

THE U.S. flag-ship Trenton arrived a Nagasaki on Thursday evening, the 24th ultimo, and was still in that port on the 1st instant, as was also the Marion, which had arrived from Jenchuan. One of the crew of the Marion accidentally fell from the fore-yard on the 30th uit, sustaining such severe injuries that he died about une hour afterwards.

A NAVAL Court-martial was held on board H. M. S. Victor Emanuel this morning to try two cases of drunkenness. In the first case Frederick Grant, the new Boatswain at H. M. S. Naval Yard, was found OUTWARD BOUND :- Oxfordshire. November | guilty and was sentenced to dismissal from 13 ; Lennox, November 17 ; Numida, his post. The other case tried was that of November 20; Apean, Dec. 15; a ship steward on H. M. S. Constance, who Orestes, Freje, December 22; Benarty, was found guilty and mentanced to six Djennah, Merionethshire, Stentor, Pho- months imprisonment,

Chinese source that Messrs Siemssen & Co.

have leased from the China Merchants'

this port on Thursday, the 7th inst. at | kew Wharves. The rent is said to be Taels 32,500 per annum. Mosers S. C. Farnham The next English Mail, per the P. & O. & Co. have contracts well in hand for re-Co.'s steamer Nepaul, left Singapore to co. mave contract what is many to te for this port on Saturday, the 9th bunding the Central Wharf and building inst., at 9 a.m., and may be expected the necessary pontoons for it and the Hong-

Mail, left San Francisco for Hongkong age from Hongkong to Shanghai, carried

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Sarpedon, from Chiabini's circus and menagerie is still at Saigon, where it has been drawing splendid houses. All the arrangements for its reception here have been completed under the direction of Mr Frank G. Wilson, the agent A curb timber ring and fence to enclose the Pavilion have been prepared on the old site at Bowrington, so that when the Company arrive they will be able to open without delay. It is intended to illumine the entrance and interior of the tents with powerful New York Beacon lights, a novelty in this part of the globe.

> THE Mascotte Opera Company concluded their season at Shanghai on Saturday, the 2nd instant, when a complimentary benefit was given to Mr E. Farley, the popular baritone. The piece selected was 'Faust,' and all three Shanghai papers speak of the performance in terms of praise. The Com. pany arrived here in the M. M. Co.'s steamer Natal, this afternoon. W do not know whether they intend to give a performance here before proceeding to Manils, where they have obtained an engagement. One of their entertainments would no doubt be

> THE following are the Orders of the Day for the next meeting of the Legislative Council, to be held on Wednesday, 13th

Second reading of the following Bills :-

Printing Presses within the Colony. A Bill to empower the Colonial Treasurer to pay otherwise than to Executors or Administrators small Sums due on

Larceny and Embezzlement A Bill to amend the Law relating to the

of Reversions. WE are requested to state that the German on Thursday evening, the 14th instant, Service at the Bethesda Chapel, Berlin in the Temperance Hall, commoncing at-

> SINGING COMPETITION. Interval of 5 Minutes. I tell them my father's a Marquis ... Mr G. Bwales, 2-Court Soug-18-VIOLIN SOLO The Harp that once Mr. J. D. Wood-(with variations) ford. 14-Patrioric Sono...The Brilish Lion....Mr W. Watt.

Buffs, who is to take up the post of aide de On the 1st inst., a respectable Chinese tradesman at Yau-ma-ti, named Chan Asau, was forcibly taken out of the Colony into THE Directors of the Yangtsze Insurance Chinese territory, by a number of men, Association, Limited, have declared a divi- also belonging to Yau-ma-ti, tied up and dend at the rate of £7 per cent. per annum robbed. Inspector Thomson instituted enquiries into the case and from informareceived arrested one of the mon concerned in the affair at 4 o'clock this morning at Ma Tau Chung. The prisoner, a stonecutter, named Tsang Tai Liu, was brought up beforeMr Mitchell-Innes at the Police Court all classes, was concluded at Kowloon to- this morning and charged, with others not in custody, with forcibly taking the com-Chunda Singh (No. 646) 40, and lukong | plainant out of the Colony. A remand was Chung Sing (No. 175) 39, were the highest applied for as it was impossible to produce scorers to-day in their respective branches | the necessary witnesses, the errest having only been made this morning. Mr Innes was not at all inclined to grant a remand, holding that he ought to discharge the pri-Ethiopian' Entertainment at the City Hall soner, but upon Inspector Thomson's Theatre on Saturday evening next. The getting into the box and giving evidence to the above effect he granted a remand until

> Kun is quite quiet in Seoul, his presence there tends to make people feel uneasy. Yuen, the new Chinese Resident in Seoul, has received the same title as the Chinese Resident at Lhassa, -- an honour which looks strange, seeing that China promised Japan to punish him for the part he took last year in the Palace riots. Japan was pressing for the balance (\$80,000) of the indemnity, and payment had been promised. We have since heard that a loan was meditated, or had been negotiated. Notwithstanding, the Customs are reported in a healthy condition, and increasing fast. Expenditure had been materially reduced, and things fiscal were improving. The Japanese were pressing their right to lay a land line of telegraph between Fusan and Seoul, according to the original contract, and in order to counterbalance the direct communication now possessed by China between Seoul and Peking

ADVICES from Cores are not later than 6th

Dec. They state that, although the Dai In

improvements have also been made in the style in which the work has been got up, which, from a printer's point of yier,

greatly appreciated now.

A Bill to repeal the Usury Laws and to fix a legal Rate of Interest. A Bill to regulate the printing of Newspapers and Books and the keeping of

account of Pay or Allowances to Per-Buns deceased. A Bill for the better Apportionment of Rents and other periodical Payments. A Bill to amend the Law relating to

Custody of Infants. A Bill to amend the Law relating to Sales THE next People's Convert will be given

Foundling House, cannot take place as eight o'clock. The following is the pro-(A boy's best ) Mr J. H. Anderson, 2-BALLAD 3—Song from -Maritana Mr A. W. Quinton. round the ... Mr H. V. Prentice. 4-Conto Sona .... 5-Popular Airs on the } ... Messes Taylor & Minroh. 6-READING. | Aurelia's unfortunate | ... Mr Juo. Dade.

15—Serio Como Sono... Good Boy! ....... Mr W. Scott... 16—Song and Chosus....... Sailing......... Mr C. Haly. Accompanies:—Misses Kennedy-Edwards, and Messes Goulbourn and Pressprich.

via Shanghai and Tientein. THE Chronicle and Directory for Ching, Japan, the Phillippines, Cochina China, The next French Mail, per the M. M. Steam Navigation Company for a period of Settlements, &c., for 1886, the most comprehensive, useful and reliable work of the kind issued in the Far East, is now before us. The volume for this year presents all the old features contained in sta predecessors, and also one or two new ones. The introductions, though perhaps, unimportant, will be found useful. Some slight

THE Chefoo correspondent of the N.-C. D. News, writing on the 30th December, says: -H.M.S. Cleopatra, Commander Schomberg, R.N., arrived here this morning from That a pretty little 'kettle of fish' is said Chemulpo, where she left H.M.S. Albatress. At the time of her leaving-29theverything was quiet at Seoul, so that all the reports of disturbances there are so many myths. Captain Leicester C. Keppel, R.N., who arrived here yesterday to take command of the Cleopatra, is now flying his pennant on board.

An English medical man lately refused to be sworn on the Bible for an entirely novel reason. His objection was that there might be infection lurking on the sacred page, and that while taking his oath he might also be taking the small-pox. The magistrate, however, ruled that this was not a conscientions objection within the meaning of the Act, and so the doctor gave the volume a gingerly kiss under protest. The Lancet thinks there may be something in the objection, and if so how much more weighty is the objection here where the Bible is kissed by native Christians who may be in the odour of sanctity but not always in the odour of cleanliness. Indian Paper.

A serious carriage accident occurred on the Bubbling Well Road, Shanghai, on the evening of the 3rd instant. The Courier, re- That he is far more likely to encroach on porting the accident, says :-- As Mrs. C. O. Liddell and Mrs. Vale were driving home from Church they were met by three traps being driven abreast down the road. The persons who were acting as Jehus were drunk and intentionally or otherwise one of the traps collided with the conveyance occupied by the ladies. The shock precipitated them into the road. The must disgraceful scene then ensued, the offenders cursing and awearing, and when the husbands of the ladies appeared upon the scene they assumed bellicose attitudes. The ladies were conveyed to their homes, very much upset by the accident, but we are glad to say without having sustained any serious bodily injuries. The offenders will be proceeded against to-morrow, at H. B. M.'s Summary Court.

THE "Buffs" at Tanglin had a gloom cast over their Christmas season by the sudden death of one their members under painful circumstances. William Somerville, a private in the regiment, had finished his dinner and went to the bathhouse about three o'clock, after which he was never seen alive. About half-past six in the evening four of the men went for a walk. Finding, in passing, that the bathroom door was locked and no one from within responding to their call, two of them climbed over and found the clothes of one of their comrades by the sides of the bath but no owner for them to be seen. They conveyed information to the Barrack Sergeant. Major, and when men were brought to dive all over the bath the body of the deceased was found naked at the bottom of the bath. The post mortem examination shewed that the deceased had had a fit whilst in the bath and no help-being at hand had been drowned whilst in the fit. verdict was returned to this effect. -Straits

THE Straits Times of the 30th ultim contains the following report of a drowning accident which occurred in Singapore har-

The fourth officer of the British India Co.'s steamer Ethiopia, a man named Nunan, went out with a friend for a pleasure sail in a boat lent him by Captain A. H. In the entrance to the harbour. some distance from Tanjong Pagar wharf. the boat, from some cause which cannot well be now explained, capsized, and the man, who was not a swimmer, was drowned. The friend who was with him in the boat, who is a Shaughai pilot on his way home to England, luckily, was able to save himself, but made no effort, so far as we are informed, to render the slightest assistance to his friend. Once ashore, he proceeded to the Hotel, where he is residing, and coolly enjoyed his dinner, after which he condescended to think for a moment of the man who had been his companion, and had lost his life when in his company. He then informed the Captain late in the evening, and the matter was. after an interval of some hours, which looked upon as a sort of ponies' Pull should not have occurred, reported on mann among steamers.

That it is cheering to learn that the Law. Revision Committee has done something at last, and is likely to do more; and thatit is a long lane that has no turning.

That the Cargo-boat Commission is still in life, and t'at it is said to be gathering facts for future use.

even yet be heard from, and that a solid Major's skewbald is fat, but promises well.

That the part to be played by Hongkong in John Peel's Honesty was scrutinized with the forthcoming Colonial Exhibition does interest; the owner was up ou Marry School is its fluctuating character. Boys not look so encouraging as it at first ap- Monk, which looks big. Vanity Fair went frequently leave when they have only been presented by some one who is more or less

That many of the samples are poor, that Fooksang ponies have as yet put in an ap- ents should be kind enough to give us due nome of the products are not products of pearance, but they will no doubt be at work | notice of the removal of the boys; for | We are asked to state that Mr Coughtrie the Colony, and that many products are early next week. More anon.

well with the Honorary Secretary, or the Honorary Secretary has not worked well with the Commission; or that the Chinese have failed to work smoothly with both Commission and Secretary.

That altogether things 'Exhibitional' are in a bad way, and that the muddle is almost certain to extend to London.

That the youthful occupant of the Police bench has somehow got on a wrong tack, and that he must 'luff' to avoid the breakers.

That the more desperate thieves are rejoicing, while honest traders are wonderingly anxious, over his new renderings of law and justice. That the local deliveries of the Post Office

are of little use to business men. That the Postmaster-General is one of the best public servants this Colony has ever owned, but that, while he is a radical reformer, he is fond of old grooves. That Canton has not yet joined the Postal

That 'leather, medals' are specified as having been received here by the Parcels Post, and that the curious are wild to discover who could have got them.

to have been simmering in Victoria Gaol of late, and that it has nearly beiled over. That if the gallant Admiral desires to insugurate reforms, he need not travel far outside the naval service, or a hundred miles from Hongkong.

That the Tung Wah Hospital is again attracting attention, and that the patronage of the Viceroy of Canton may raise very important questions for solution.

That Chinese in Hongkong should become naturalised, that the absurd condition of a distinctive dress should be abolished, and that Great Britain should guarantee the fullest protection to her Anglo-Chinese subjects.

That it is difficult to serve two masters, to pay taxes to two Governments, and to be faithful or obedient to both English and Chinese officials and laws.

That the Dragon which really caused the -floods in Kwangtung is still there, and that we shall hear more of him later on. the people's fields than the people are to encroach on the banks.

is ships.'

That the enterprising Jonathan spoke sense. and that we should agitate for a thorough

That at present this harbour is about the worst managed in the world, and is likely to remain so until placed under the control of a properly-constituted Harbour Trust, with expansive ideas and the power to spend the meney required to make it what it should be.

That the subject is of the most vital interest to the Colony, and is a fine opening for the next unofficial member of Council, whoever he may be.

That seafaring men continue to complain bitterly of the absence of a light on the Gap Rock or vicinity, and of the miserable light on Green Island.

That no one appears to possess the enterprise necessary to agitate the question with effect.

That the existing Light Dues are a mis-

ought to be abolished. which serves to attract vessels to this Harbour will eventually pay the Colony. That the crusade against offending sampans should be extended to those who block

up the side-ladders of steamers, and that the simple rule of hang on astern till wanted' should be enforced.

BROWNIE.

OCCASIONAL TURF NOTES.

The business of the Season is in a fair way of commencement, that special favor ite, the Fooksang, having landed her lot of some fifteen northern cracks in splendid condition, and without a scratch. Some disappointment was expressed at the Course | the condition of the school than this simthis morning when it was found that, in- ply : the examination which I conducted stead of returning North, where another finding for myself the standing of each boy contingent is ready, she has gone to dock in the school in the various subjects which for a short rest. This boat has come to be

with a moderate canter for a change from some of the much-be-cried Subscription in our revised prospectus. We intend to that the Governor is willing to take notice Griffins. Now and again an enquiry was heard What pony is that ? Oh, it is so man: chemistry, as a branch of science, and so's Subscription Moke; and I am and we are also to introduce the theory and me about; one which I think would commuch mistaken if a level lot of fairly good ponies out of the mob don't come to the itself to every one who is connected with post. A roan pony seemed to me a likely goer, and just my luck's draw looks like and we put forth this rather high standard, That Rupert, the worthy Chairman, may as if it would not be bad luck. The 'Other that we offer a thoroughly sound Public course of the year could steadily work ground for definite action may soon be If he comes as near as Herschell in per- School is siming at, we therefore thought glad indeed to found a Bishop's Prize. formance as in appearance, he will do well.

round look ng well and fit. None of the

ECNORONG C. C. PETELS THE ARMY AND NAVY This match was continued to-day. The United Services' team in their first innings yesterday put together a total of 213 runs.

the top scorer with 22, and Leach comingnext with 17. The Club then followed their innings and in their second attempt had much better fortune. Barff played a aplendid game for 69, not Bruce Robertson played carefully and wel for 32; Travers, hitting in his old, free style, added 23, and Stewart and Grimble contributed 19, and 17, to the total of the innings, which closed for 194. It was getting late in the afternoon when the Army and Navy began their second innings, and at gunfire they had made 32 runs for the loss of three wickets. Had there been time

for the match to be played out it would probably have been a very close contest but by the rules of the Club it was decided on the first innings, upon which the United Services won by 124 runs. During the afternoon the Band of the Northamptonshire Regiment performed upon the ground.

The following are to-day's scores :--HONGKONG C. C. A. K. Travers, c Scanlan, b Savage, ...... R. Wood, e Scanlan, b Graham, Leach, std de Robeck, ..... Bruce Hobertson, not out..... J. S. Ezekiel, b Savage, ...... 

HONGKONG C. C. A. J. Leach, o and b Watts. W. Bruce Robertson, c Sub, b Christian..... 32 E. R. Wood, c Watts, b Savage ..... A. K. Travers, b Christian W. H. F. Darby, e Maturia, b Christian
G. Grimble, c Riddell, b Elliot
G. Stewart, st De Robeck,
J. S. Ezekiel, b Christian J. S. Ezekiel, b Christian C. E. Holworthy, c Elliot, b Christian A. G. Stokes, b Christian -ARMY-AND-NAVY.

Pte Watts, R.M.L.I., run out
Licut Christian, R.N., not out
Dr Scanlan, o Leach, b Grimble
Licut, Elliot, R.N., c Stokes, b Leach

Capt. Maturin, R.A., not out ...

PRIZE DAY AT THE HONGKONG -PUBLIC SCHOOL.

The annual distribution of prizes to the scholars attending the Hongkong Public School took place this forenoon in St. Paul's College. The prizes were presented That an American visitor once said of Hong- by H. E. the Officer Administering the kong-'I think much of your harbour, Government (W. H. Marsh), and among but darn'd little of your people for ne- those who were present were :- Mrs Marsh, gleeting it so shamefully; now, in our Bishop Burdon, Hon, A. Lister, Rev. W. hands, your harbour would be made to Jennings (Colonial Chaplain), Dr Fisher, draw all creation, and what you want here Deputy Inspector General of the Naval Hospital, Mr D. R. Crawford, Mr H. Sharp, and a number of the parents of the boys and others. The proceedings were commenced by Bishop Burdon, who said-Your Excellency, we meet now under rather exceptional circumstances. costom has always been to have this prizegiving at the close of the year, but in consequence of my own absence, and the changes through which the school has been passing, it was found impossible to have has done his best, and there is a always putting off payment and complained an energetic protest against the em the arrangements made as had been contemplated. The past year has been one of considerable difficulty in various ways. I don't know that the Committee could possibly have managed things better than they have done, but I am very much afraid ful one; and that whatever we have held ploy, who was with the complainant at the that the school has suffered very seriously in consequence of this. At the same time, the numbers of scholars have kept up. There were 43 at the close of the year, which certainly is a very encouraging num- prizes, they were greated with a vigorous times with his fist. They wanted to ber. Probably the New Year may show a reduction of this number to 40 by the removal of some who, perhaps, were not intended for the school, and by the changes I wish to state that I received very on the 7th just, he was standing in front of we all know are continually taking place in great pleasure in accepting your invita- the Clock Tower and saw the defendant talk. families; but I have not a doubt but we tion to preside at the distribution of prizes. | ingto a Chinaman, who was presenting a piece shall have a sufficient number for this I was here I think some three years of paper. Defendant struck the boy two take, and in the interests of the Port term, as will test the powers of our new ago on a similar occasion in this room, or three times on the chest and drove him master and Mrs Bateman, and as will encourage them to use these powers. Now. That to hold out every possible inducement I don't know that I have any more than this to say, and the best way I think is not to say any more. I will now introduce to your Excellency the new Head-master, who will tell us what his impressions were during the two or three weeks he was here be fore the school broke up, and also respecting the examination he held of the boys and the principles on which he allotted the prizes which will now be given by your Ez- offered. I don't know whether there is cellency. He will also tell us, I hope, something of his plans for the future, plans which is. I know it is very small, because we sation to the boy; in default, ton days' I have no doubt, if he is able to carry them

> tone and character. Mr Bateman then said-Your Excellency. ladies and gentlemen, the position I occupy is rather an invidious one, probably insomuch that it is always difficult in commenting on or when remarking in any way upon the work done by your predecessor, and it was conducted principally with the idea have been taught. The allotment of the prizes has been made on the results of that examination partly, and partly upon what I could arrive at with regard to the work that has been done during the year closed. The course of the school. carriculum, we are thinking of extending couragement to a School like this to see teach, in addition to the present subjects, of us and to give us help. There is one two modern languages, French and Gering these subjects will of course commend the School. The School is called in its School associated with the names of the prospectus the Hongkong Public School.

> School education for European born Finding that that is the standard which the in the School a comparatively short time. I would ask, where it is possible, that parvarious reasons. One is this, that if we will give extra prizes for writing and draw-I know any boy was leaving at the end of the ling, and that he will conduct the examinaterm, we might be able to give a tion himself.

little more attention to his studies, and a send him away a little better equipped than he otherwise could be. When we Reading have extended our curriculum we hope Writing really to make the School what it is called, Arithmetic a public school; that course is the one Drawing adopted by the public schools at home, and Work ... The Club in their first innings this morning in that way we hope that, instead of the Examination only succeeded in making 88; Barff being boy teing removed, they will be able to complete their education here. Another Divinity scheme which we have in view is this, that | English Composition the school should be affiliated to the Cam- English Grammar bridge University-that is, we ought to English History. have conducted here every Christmas, a Geography Cambridge local examination. The Cam- Latin Grammar bridge local examination is found to be Arithmetic of inestimable advantage to the boys Algebra who are prepared for it. Some of the advantages which belong to it are that it excuses various preliminary examinations. For instance, the Incorporated Law Society | Dictation and the Royal College of Surgeons will Drawing take the certifi ate of the Cambridge Uni- Work ... versity local examination, and the undergraduate is excused from parts of his university course. In addition there are advantages to be gained from it in connection with the Eton, Rugby and Marlborough Public Schools, who yearly granted scholarships to a number of boys who passed the most successful examinations. The results of the work connected with the Cambridge local examinations which I have had to do with have been satisfactory. In last school I sent up 21 boys, and of these 21 there was only one failure (Applause). I look forward to equally good results from our achool find there is certainly good material to work upon, and I really hope that at the next examination we shall find that the boys we send up are quite as successful as those sent up at home. I have also introduced a system of register of marks. Each boy will have his mark book, and he will have it marked every day for the lessons, and the end of the week his percentage will be taken. He will not be comparing himself, therefore, with any other boys in the same class, but will compare himself with a standard. We hold according to this standard that if a boy obtains 75 per cent, he has done well;

> to be kind enough to assist us, so that they may know for themselves exactly what their boys have been doing in the work. have also had some hints, public school hints, printed. A boy often fails to learn simply because he does not know how to learn. This code of hints will enable him to set about his work in something like a methodical and reasonable way, and if he follows these hints I am sure he will find his work very much more successful than if he sets about it without knowing the right way from the wrong. With regard to the prizes on the table now. I fancy that some of the boys will say there is a very small number, and they will be somewhat disappointed, but I may say this, there are in the building a great many more valuable prizes than those on the table, but could not recommend the Committee to award the prizes this year. The plan which I have adopted is this, for each subject that the School was examined on, one prize has been awarded; where one boy has gained more than three prizes, the next highest boy takes the prize. There are two prizes more valuable than the others; they are the work prize for the year and the examination prize. The examination prize is certainly the most valuable—I am not now speaking from a money point of view -as showing who is the best boy in the school. After having gone through an examination conducted strictly on the Cambridge local examination—the papers were Cambridge local examination-the prize was awarded to bim. It would have been which were sent out to us by the Bishop, day, charging him with having assaulted and awarded them, as I may say a prize Yu Asz, bill collector, on the 7th inst. loses its value altogether if it is not given for a specific object. If they are distribut- that he was shroff to Mr Daver. At 3

anything below 50 per cent, would not be

considered creditable. In the examination

of these registers we wish to ask the parents

to all the boys a very diligent and successout as hopes for the future will be in every time, corroborated his statement. round of applause from their school-fellows. The presentation having been completed, His Excellency said—Before we separate I think this is an establishment that deserves every encouragement and support, the road and defendant kept following and

education of European boys belonging to take the defendant as well. of Hongkong but to the sons of the people for Mr MacCulloch or witness, who reside at the Coast Ports and who may Hongkong. His language was very bad. avail themselves of the advantages here any Government grant given to it; if there know that under the regulations, and these hard labour. out, will strengthen and raise the work of regulations must be observed, no Governwhen this time next year comes round and

will be a credit to the establishment thing I might perhaps be permitted to mention, that Mr Bateman has spoken to practice of music. The object in introduc- mend itself to His Excellency and otherleading persons in the Colony, and that is, that prizes may be founded in the leading persons here, with a certain value attached, for which a boy in the If the Governor could see his way to found a Governor's Prize, Lahould be very it was necessary to add these subjects to (Applause). I hope in the same way other our curriculum. The difficulty which I leading residents will follow. It is always see has to be met in the working of the an encouragement for a boy to feel that he is working for a prize which he knows is

> Three cheers were then given for His Excellency, and the meeting broke up.

H. Kennott. E. Shepherd P. V. Gorge.

PRIZE LIST.

Upper School.

CORRESPONDENCE

THE HONGKONG EXHIBITS.

To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.'

with the object of the Exhibition to say

Hongkong, 8th January, 1886.

G. White.

W. Ray.

T. Singh.

G. F. Lobb.

Lower School.

Fritz Lammert ing the affairs of Upper Burmah :-F. Comes. G. F. Lobb. T. Lammert. G. F. Lobb. livered himself to Colonel Sladen. V Dodds. The Governor, Montsobe, has sent in T. Singh. his submission to Colonel Sladen, with a T. Lammert. Fritz Lammert captured prince who left Mandalay with R. Piquer, the object of raising a revolt. Frank Lammert R. Piquer. Fritz Lammert.

Mout Sabo to receive the submission of the inhabitants, and moveable columns are advancing slowly, jungle and swamps abounding. The Gymkhana club has been formed, and sports were held on 11th December. A band was in attendance. The Burmese thickly lined the course. highly enjoying the festivity. Many Burmese entered for the pony races, riding with wild excitement. Sir,-I am not sufficiently acquainted General White distributed the prizes.

much about it, but I understood that all Exhibits had to be the products of Hong-Certainly, some of those I saw in the City Hall are not; and, what is worse, a lot of them are about the worst specimens | dac its probably, as a consequence of the of Chinese productions that it has ever been my lot to see prepared or collected for an Three companies of sepoys have been de-Exhibition, and I have expended some hun-spatched from Tonghoo to the scene of the dreds of dollars in former years for such disturbances.

It is indeed a farce for either Mr in Upper Burmah is much to be regretted. Vodehouse or anybody else to be sent home | A Mandalay correspondent says that everyto take charge of such a collection as I saw thing there is in statu que pending the in the City Hall, and I can only predict that arrival of Mr Bernard. The general coiniboth the Exhibitor and Exhibits will be the on there and here is, that he is not the laughing-stock of all who bestow on them official to deal efficiently with such a crisis, even a passing glanco.

Police Intelligence. (Before N. G. Mitchell-Innes, Esq.) Saturday, January 9...

ANOTHER LICENSE FOR FELONY. Liu Asui, coolie, was charged with stealing two cotton bed-quilts, value \$2, the property of Li Asau, and also with being armed with a deadly weapon, not being the holder of a night pass, on the 8th inst. Complainant gave evidence to the effect that he resided at 30 High Street. About 10 a.m. on the 8th inst. he went out locking the door of his house. About an hour afterwards he returned and upon opening the door saw the prisoner inside the house with the two coverlets produced. his hand. Complainant soized him whilst the prisoner was fumbling under his jacket with his hand. A clansman of the complainant who lived in the same house.

came to his assistance, and together they overpowered the prisoner, and upon searching him found the dagger produced on his person. They then gave him in charge of Ip Awo, P. C. 235. Li Akwai, complainant's clansman, corroborated the latter's evidence, and In Awo, P. C. 235, deposed to being called in by complainant and taking the prisoner in charge for larceny and being

Prisoner, whose defence was that he was catching a rat, was fined \$10, in default six weeks' hard labour.

(Before A. G. Wise, Esq.)

ASSAULT ON A BILL COLLECTOR. Antonio Barretto, share broker, appeara mistake if we had taken all the prizes ed on a summons, remanded from yester-

Complainant's statement was to the effect ed wholesale to the School, no n. p.m. on the 7th inst. he went to defendant lay down their arms. couragement is given to the boy who to ask him to pay a bill. Defendant was danger of a boy thinking he has done well nant now insisted on its being paid. Dewhen he has done comparatively badly. fendant slapped his face. He ran out and With these few remarks I will close by say- defendant followed him into the street and ing I hope that the coming year will prove beat him again.

Wai Wing, office boy in Mr Cohen's em-Kan Singh, P. C. 536, deposed that he His Excellency then distributed the was in Queen's Road and saw the comprizes. As the boys- received their plainant strike defendant two or three charge each other, and witness took them

both to the station. Mr William Legge, broker, deposed that for, if I understand anght this is the striking at him. About two minutes principal establishment in all China where after a Sikh came up and took the boy in provision is made for the instruction and custody. Witness told the constable to the Protestant Church, and the doors of said I will be d-d if I go. He got very this place are open not only to the residents | noisy and said 'he did not care a d-n

Defendant stated that the complainant struck him, and worried him about a bill. Defendant was fined \$5 and \$2 compen-

the school, and which will add both to its ment inspection can be made. I trust that GROSS OUTRAGE UPON AMERICAN MISSIONARIES AT CHINKIANG. the annual distribution of prizes comes on, The Chinkiang correspondent of the we shall hear a very favourable report of | Shanghai Mercury says :- On the 30th ult. the progress made, and I am encouraged to between 3 and 4 o'clock in the evening, hope this from the statement just made by body of natives (Ningpo men), numbering the new Head-master. It was only a few upwards of forty, assembled at the newlydays ago, that the parent of one of the lerected houses of the Revs. J. Langden and boys of the school expressed himself to G. Woodsl of the American Methodist Misme as highly satisfied with the progress sion and forced their way in. They tied first half of the year, we remarked that it made by his boy at this School. I under- both of the rev. gentlemen's hands behind stand the Holidays are now at an end, and | their backs and led them through the public | that there was reason to hope that the I can only express the hope that the scho- streets to the magistrate's yamen in the advance would be continuous and perlars have had a good time of it, and that city, who, after hearing the complaint of manent. We are again able to chronicle they come back with renewed energy, and the mot against them, had the missionaries an improvement. The total net gain, Tla. that their work during the following year conducted back to their houses by an armed 765,000, is not nearly so large as that of escort. Our correspondent hears that the Bishop Burdon, in proposing a vote of plausible excuse given for the outrage is lised by the great recovery in Hongkong thanks to His Excellency for coming there | the alleged non-fulfilment by the mis- Bank shares; but if we exclude these from the to present the prizes, said-It is an en- sionaries of the centract for the houses, and both accounts, the gain we record to-day that the United States Consul has taken

> LOSS OF THE BRITISH BARQUE TAEK-LEE! (16 HAK-LEE!) The Shanghai Mercury of the 5th in stant says :- Intelligence of the loss of this vessel was received here to day by the steamer Yungning. The Tack-les arrived lately at Wenchow from Tientsin, vid Cheloo, to complete her cargo. She left Venchow on the 81st Dec., got ashore on the morning of the 2nd inst., and about i clock in the afternoon of the same day was half buried in the sand at Sha Kia Tau, or Big Island, il miles from Wenchow. When the Yungning passed that la-e, outward bound, on Sunday last, the Tack-lee was embedded in the sand up to the rail. They were stripping her and salving the cargo, which cons sted of fors, alum vermicelli &c. A Chinese gunboat was at the wreck to prevent looting. The sandbank upon which the barque went eshore is 14 feet at high tide, but uncoverseted as plot. He knows the river, we prudence seems to warrant. The Comare informed, very well, but does not seem

a sailing vessel. The barque belongs to a months are as follows; Singapore firm. She has never been right up to Wenchow before, we understand, though she has been at the lower anchorage previously.

THE SITUATION IN BURMAH. The Bombay Gazetts of the 18th ultimo contains the following information regard-Mandalay, Dec. 15 .- General Shoayianbo has returned from advancing towards Tonghoo. In an encounter with the British with one thousand men, he de-

The brigade under Norman has gone to

Dacoits are still harassing our piquets. Rangoon, Doc. 17 .- The Rangoon Gazette learns that some villages in the Sheavgheen district have been looted and burnt by disbanding of troops in Upper Burmah.

The delay in announcing our intentions which should have been left to Colonel Sladen. The prevailing uncertainty is more prejudicial to the interests of order and security in this province than the state

The Gazette says that the Government should take immediate steps to ascertain with certainty the fate of the eleven assist. ants of the Bombay-Burmah Trading Corporation said to have been massacred in Chindwin while endeavouring to reach Munipore. It is possible that some may

The dacoits who burnt the two largest villages in the Shoaygyeen district are said to be 300 strong, and composed of Shana and Red Karens, headed by a Buddhist priest. They have cut the telegraph wires. Our native authorities could not oppose them. Troops from Tonghoo should reach Shoaygyeen to-day, and it is hoped they will give a good account of the band. Shoaygyeen used to be a military station. but the troops were withdrawn from there

ed by the Queen-mother and his two queens. has arrived at Madras. He will live in the Mansion, which is situated in a pleasant Theebaw was interviewed before leaving for Madras. He placed all the responsibility of the war upon the shoulders of his

Bombay, Dec. 18 .- Theebaw, accompani-

ministers, who had kept him in ignorance of the real state of affairs. He denied that he had killed his rela-The massacres had taken place while he was asleep, and without his know-

Mr Bernard, Chief Commissioner of Burmah, has gone to Mandalay. Pending the Viceroy's decision on the question of annexation or protectorate, Mr Bernard will administer the country with the assistance of Colonel Sladen.

It is stated that the employment of the Finedah in the government of the country is not approved. The object was to bring his influence to bear upon the dacoits to

The Rangoon Chamber of Commerce has ployment of the Tinedah, as constituting a virtual condonation of his offences, it being well known that he took a leading part in the massacre of Theebaw's relatives.

The delay in deciding as to the future course to be pursued in administering the country is having an unfortunate effect. In Rangoon it is complained that the present uncertainty is more prejudical than

Mr Pilcher, formerly Assistant Resident at Mandalay, has gone on a mission to the Shaps to excertain their relations with

As a result of an interview with Colone an edict calling on the priest to induce the compile the usual table. It is indeed, of people to submit to British authority.

Reports are current that ten European employes of the Bombay-Burmah Trading Corporation have been massacred in the holders have probably written them off their Chindwin country. Mandalay is quiet, but there is much da coity and general lawlessness in the coun

More lengthy correspondence has been found in the palace at Mandalay regarding the reported treaties with France and

It appears that arrangements had been made for the flight of Theebaw into Chinese territory. But the English advanced so rapidly that there was no time to carry

The death of Theebaw's sacred white elephant has caused great grief among devout Buddhists at Mandalay.

THE SHANGHAL SHARE MARKET FOR THE PAST SIX MONTHS. (Shanghai Courier. Jan. 4.)

usual review of the share market for the

When we published on 2nd July last our

showed a marvellous improvement, and the former six months, which were signais very much larger. The most cheering feature in to-day's tables is that the gain is much more general than before. On the 2nd July there were only seven Companies Sovereigns, \_... 8 6.95 that had gained during the six months, and fourteen that had lost : to-day it will be seen that these numbers are exactly reversed, fourteen having gained and only anven lost. It is evident that we are not out of the influence of the general wave of improvement that is rolling round the world. From America we learn that there is a general revival of trade in that country : English advices announce the belief hat the worst of the depression is past, and everything in Shangbai wears a much more reseate had that it die six months ago. We have not yet entirely recovered the position in which we stood on 1st January 1884 : for the net loss in 1884 was something over Tis. 3,500,000, and the net gain in 1883 amounts only to Tla 2.900.000 : but we have made a much better recovery than seemed likely a year ago: and, if we except the Shanghai Water Works Co., there is hardly a stock on the ed at low water. A Quatoni House officer to lowing list that atdies bigher than

to be conversant with the management of Panies that have goined during the six COMPANIES THAT HAVE GAIRED.

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December that they were on 1st July, or whose fluctuations have been so slight as to he not worth recording. The lists again are not exhaustive, for there are still a few companies in existence which are not quoted in the local share lists, though some of them may share in the coming return of prosperity : altogether however, they would probably not make any great difference in the general result. The great drop in one mining stock is repossible for more than half the total loss; and the majority of the holders of that stock are by no means convinced that their property is really depreciated to anything like the extent the fall in the duotation would indicate. If the decline in that one stock had not taken place, the total fall would have been very trifling. The list of the companies that have gone

back is as follows :-

As before we have omitted the companies

whose quotations remain the same on 31st

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So few Companies have altogether passed their dividends during the last six months. that we have not thought it worth while to the Companies mentioned, only the Perak and Selangor enterprises that have returned nothing to their shareholders, and most schedules of assets some time since; though there is still a chance of the Perak Companies doing some good. On the whole things are decidedly much better, and there is a revival of confidence in the future of Shanghai, which is far more valuable than the actual gain shown in these tables.

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vour excellent Government has committed his wife died from the effects of a surgical a grave error in degrading Li Feng-pao, an officer who understood exceedingly well how to conduct the foreign business of the Empire; and, what is of no less importance, he endeared himself to the hearts of my countrymen, gained the good graces of Bi Wang himself, and is my personal friend. It would afford me pleasure to know that Your Excellencies were taking steps towards the rehabilitation of that meritorious offi-

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RUBSIAN PROTECTORATE OVER throughout the world, and by the pro-ACHEEN AND SUMATRA. The Samarang Locomotief of the 2nd December, quotes from a recently published Russian narrative of travel by M. Krestoffoki the following interesting information regarding an offer made at one time to Russia to set up a protectorate over Acheen and Sumatra :- At the end | Walker, last January was confined to her of November and in December 1878, the bed, and had been for twelve months, was clipper ship Wradnik under command of under treatment of three eminent physi-Captain Novosilsky stayed about three cians, who said she had Consumption and weeks at Penang. On the 4th December, | Heart Disease. The doctors and all that dressed came on board. Judging from parauaded her to take your Seigel Curative their outward appearance, they were nota- Syrup, and after having used two and-ables of high rank. Their features were in- half 60 ct. bottles she was restored to pertelligent and impressive looking. To the feet health, and said she felt better than question of the officer on watch inquiring she had for five years. My daughter is what they wanted one of them answered | now living and enjoying good health, but in English that they wished to speak had it not been for your medicine she would immediately with the Commander of the have been now dead .- Yours, &c., vessel. They then fold him of their intention to make to him a very important offer in secret. Captain Novosilsky said he rah F. Walker, Crofton, Ky. was prepared to hear what they wanted to N.B.-If you think this worth printing, say, and that they could speak to him as please do so; if not, give it to the waste openly and freely as possible. They now basket. made him aware of their being envoys deputed by the Sultan of Acheen who had charged them with a mission of the utmost importance. They set forth that the peo- sends the following:ple of Acheen and the neighbouring tribes as well were in a very unfortunate condition, but that, although the war with the the difficult circumstances they were in not Syrup, which quickly sets me all right. I admitting of their sending a special deputa- send you this in the hope that other suffertion to St. Petersburg. Captain Novosils- ers may be induced to give the Syrup a ky was quite at a loss what to do. He at one | trial. Yours truly, time could not help faneying he might be the victim of some mystification from its seeming incredible that a whole Sultanate with a population of three millions, with the

luntarily. On the other hand, he, how- speak highly in its favour. We had a case ever, with an eye to the carnestness and of a young lady that had been troubled the stress with which the request had been many years with pains after cating. She made, in consequence of which one of the tolls us that the pains were entirely taken richest islands in the world might get into away after a few doses of your medicine.-Russian hands, decined that he had not the Yours truly. right to refuse the application unconditionally. He at last had recourse to the following expedient. He proposed to the en-Several weeks have clapsed since I last voys to tack on an English translation to felt called upon to address Your Excellen- their petition in writing, to set upon it the cies touching the manner in which the seals of the Sultan of Acheen and of the Government of the Empire is being con- other chiefs in Sumatra, and send the same ducted. I trust, however, Your Excellent to the post office at Naples. Three months cies know me better than to attribute my wore allowed them by him for this, as he long silence either to indifference to abuses, expected to be in Naples in March the folor to lukewarm interest in the affairs of lowing year. It was also agreed upon the Empire. My reticence has been the occasion that whatever might be the prompted solely, I assure you, by solicitude fate of the request at St. Petersburg, he for Your Excellencies, convenience, and an would notify it by telegraph to the agent of aversion from taking up your valuable time the Sultan at Penang. At the appointed with questions of second-rate importance. | time Captain Novosilsky found the letter at About half a year ago my attention was Naples. Through the higher authorities, directed by one of my subordinates to an the document reached the Foreign Office at advertisement in a foreign newspaper St. l'etersburg. After a while, however, printed in Shah hai, announcing that a he got for answer, that the application of certain firm had been appointed Commer- the Sultan of Acheen and the other chiefs cial Agents for the Governments of Chihli could not be granted because the relations and Fuhkien. Knowing that such an between Russia and the Netherlands were nouncements in our Western countries on a friendly footing. Captain Novosilsky carry no meaning, I passed the affair over consequently telegraphed to the agent at as a harmless flash of summer lightning. Penang the words, no chance, as had been More recently, however, it has come to my lagreed upon Thereby was the matter cars that another firm, without even the settled. M. Krestoffski, the writer who newspaper warning, has entered into con- gives these particulars, asserts that this tracts to supply iron work for a Chinese account of what happened was read out by dock; and my informants, who have never him to Captain Novosilsky and acknowledyet been known to tell the truth, aver that | ged by the latter to be correct and wholly |

A FATAL MISTAKE IN AMERICA. The Cleveland (Ohio, U.S.A.) Press, Feb. 23, 1883, publishes an account of a It is my duty to inform Your Excellencies fatal surgical operation which has caused that this is not the way in which the a great commotion among medical men business of this great country can be carried throughout the whole country, Dr. Thayer, on. Monopolies and Government Agents the most eminent surgeon in Cleveland, and such-like may do for some countries, pronouncing it scandalous. It appears that but they will not do for Caina, and Your a Mrs. King had been suffering for many years with some disease of the stomach you permit the Government to be tied up which had resisted the treatment of all the with any association of foreigners; unless, physicians in attendance. The disease commenced with a slight dorangement of the digestion, with a poor appetite, followed by a peculiar indescribable distress in the stomach, a feeling that has been described as a faint 'all gone' sensation, a sticky sline collecting about the teeth, causing a disagreeable taste, especially in the morning. This sensition was not removed by food. but on the contrary, it was increased. The eyes then became tinged with yellow, and were annken. After awhile the hands and fire of an enemy; and I have had supplied | feet became cold and sticky-a cold perspito you guns of every age and pattern. My ration. There was a constant tired and countrymen have moreover presented you languid feeling. Then followed a dreadful nervousness, with gloomy forebodings. pigeon-whistles, and I have competent When rising suddenly there came a dizzy ongineers and advanturers always at hand feeling like vertige. After a time the ready to contract for any mortal thing in howels became costive, so that it was difheaven, or earth, or anywhere else. ficult to procure a movement without a Finally, my advice on all matters of peace leathartic. Soon followed a disposition to and war has ever been at your service— spit up the food after cating, sometimes in-free of all commission. Where, then, is a sour, fermented condition. All this dethe excuse for your excellent Government rangement caused a terrible palpitation of straying into illegitimate fields to seek that the heart, so as to make the breathing diffiwhich is always within your reach? I must cult. Finally, the patient was unable to frankly warn Your Excellencies that there retain any food whatever, and there was constant pain in the abdomen. All prevours which indicates any special friendli- scribed remedies failing to give relief a conness to my country; and that my august sultation was held, when it was decided master. Bi Wang, will not be able to regard | that the patient had a cancer in the stomach, and, in order to save the patient's

life, an operation was justifiable. According, on Feb. 22, 1883, the operation was performed by Dr. Vance, in the presence of Dr. Tuckerman, Dr. Perrier, Dr. Arms, Dr. Gordon, Dr. Lapuer, and Dr. Halliwell, of the Police Board. The operation consisted in laying open the cavity of the abdomen and exposing the stomach, bowels, liver, and pancreas. When this had been done, an examination of the organs was made, but, to the horror and dismay of the way clause in the French Treaty. You doctors, there was no cancer to be found. have a similar question before you now, The patient did not have a cancer. When and if you agree with me you will arrest too late, the medical men discovered that your naval construction, your arsenals, and they had made a terrible mistake. They your armaments until you can induce your sowed the parts together and dressed the wound that they had made, but the poor ner. Blitzen & Co., to construct the woman sank from exhaustion and died in a few hours. How sad it must be for the In conclusion I take leave to observe that husband of this poer woman to know that operation that ought never to have been performed. If this woman had taken the proper remedy for dyspensia (for this is what the disease really was), she would have been living to-day. Seigel's Curative Syrup, a remedy made expressly for dyspopsis or indigestion, has restored many such cases to perfect health after all other kinds of treatment have failed. The evidence of its efficacy in curing this class of cases is too voluminous to be published here, but those who read the publishers evidence in favour of this dyspeptic remedy do not question its convincing nature; and the article has an extensive sale. Sold-

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The Review department receives special attention, and endeavours are made to Shipping Orders will be granted until present a careful and concise record of Literature on China etc., and to give Kirby, P. H. Cargo will be received on board until 4 critiques embodying sketches of the Most | Kwong Wah Shing1 rgd. Woodyear Circus 6 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on recent works on such topics. Authors and Le Veer, Mrs G. I the 11th January, 1886. (Parcels are not Publishers are requested to forward works to be sent on board; they must be left at to 'Editor, China Review, care of China

The Notes and Queries are still continued and form an important means of obtaining from and diffusing among students knowledge on obscure points. The Correspondents' column also affords

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